

American Recovery & Reinvestment 2009 Asheville, North Carolina Community Portfolio

Community Project Proposal Guidelines

This form is intended for use for proposing a community project that meets the intent and guidelines set forth in the American Recovery & Reinvestment Act of 2009. Complete text of the act is available at http://www.rules.house.gov/111/LegText/111_hr1_text.pdf. Information must be limited to the two pages included in this form.

Proposals may be submitted by:

- E-mail to economicrecovery@ashevillenc.gov;
- Fax to (828) 259-5499, or;
- Mail to P.O. Box 7148, Asheville, NC 28802, ATTN: Economic Recovery

If you require any assistance in preparing a project proposal or have questions about the process, please e-mail economicrecovery@ashevillenc.gov.

In the interest of government transparency and public participation, all submitted information will be made available to the community. Please do not submit information considered to be confidential or proprietary. Submitted proposals will be posted at www.ashevillenc.gov/economicrecovery for public review.

Contact Information

Proposing Agency or Organization

Organization Name:

City of Asheville
Water Resources Department

Project Name:

William DeBruhl Water Treatment Plant
Backwash Lagoon

Contact Details

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Project Information

1. Project Description

Please include a brief project description.

Design, Engineering, Materials Purchase, and Construction of a new backwash lagoon at the William DeBruhl Water Treatment Plant. The new backwash lagoon will be constructed to hold sludge, or waste products, from the water treatment process.

2. Project Purpose

Please describe the project's public purpose and benefit.

This project is required by the North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resource / Division of Water Quality for renewal of the wastewater discharge permit. Without a wastewater discharge permit, water cannot be treated or distributed to the system's 123,750 people on the water system.

3. Project Cost

Include the total project cost

\$400,000.00

4. Job Creation

Estimated number of jobs created by project.

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5. Project Schedule

Include start and finish dates for the project.

July 2009 – July 2010

5a. Project Schedule

Can the project be contracted and commenced within 120 days? Please indicate yes or no.

Yes

6. Goal Alignment

Briefly describe how the project will achieve the goals of the American Recovery & Reinvestment Act.

- Compliance with state law
- Job creation to aid in economic recovery
- Infrastructure investment to provide long-term economic benefits